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Mr. Jim Waldron Chevron U.S.A. Inc. San Joaquin Valley SBU 1546 China Grade Loop Bakersfield, California 93308

CORRECTION TO TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER, CHEVRON U.S.A. INC., STATION 36 – CARRIER CANAL, KERN RIVER OIL FIELD, KERN COUNTY

A tentative Waste Discharge Requirements Order (Order) concerning the above-referenced discharge was recently circulated on 2 November 2007. The tentative Order proposed for consideration at the 6/7 December 2007 Regional Water Board meeting will include a correction to the Effluent Limitation for pH. The tentative Order circulated on 12 September 2007 specified an instantaneous minimum pH of 5.5 for Discharge Point 001, which was carried over from existing Order No. R5-2002-0052. This pH limit will be reinstated.

If you have any questions regarding this matter or the tentative Order, please contact Mr. Dane Mathis at (559) 488-4287.

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